

## INTEREST IS GROWING

Large Audiences Attended Munhall Meetings Yesterday.

## POWERFUL SERMON LAST NIGHT

Evangelist Declares That Real Pleasure is Only to Be Found in Saving Souls—Business Men's and Children's Meeting.

Splendid audiences attended the Munhall revival meetings yesterday, the mass meeting in the evening attracting an especially large crowd. Besides the eloquence and power of Dr. Munhall, the singing of Prof. and Mrs. Lowe and the chorus choir directed by them does a great deal toward making the meetings attractive to all classes.

The congregations of all nine of the churches united for the revival are displaying much interest in the meetings and all of the regular week night services at these churches are suspended.

"Saving of Souls" might be given as the subject of Dr. Munhall's sermon last night.

His text was read from James 1-22: "But be ye doers of the Word and not hearers only. The subject—Works as related to faith."

"Why Should I be a Doer of Christ? First—Because it is according to the law of the spirit of Christ. When God puts his spirit of life into the soul it must find its vent in works."

"Second—That there may be spiritual growth. This is done by feeding on the word of God."

"Third—That you may have a good time—Why do persons go to the things of the world to have a good time? Simply because they are out of harmony with their profession. Bringing souls to Christ is the source of the greatest possible pleasure."

"There should be no distinction—Like Christ, we should be men among men, use practical common sense in the use of God's word. We should all know what one must do to be saved. Besides we should be faithful to the trust committed us. Don't fail to show the side you are on at the church at prayers—in visiting—by giving to missions—The Methodist gave only 31 cents per member, the Presbyterian 65 cents and the Baptist less than 30 cents per member. We will never take the world for Christ on penny or nickel collections—where the heart is, there is the devotion—where there is no devotion to the service of Christ, there can be no religion of Christ. Be not deceived, faith without works is dead—what is your life in the house—precept example—what are you doing for your children. There are a thousand ways in which you may be a doer of Christ. Wives what have you done for the salvation of your husbands? The last appeal was both earnest and eloquent. The closing prayer was a beautiful effort."

The benediction was pronounced, a few persons retired, while a great multitude lingered in their pews to hear more of the gospel in song and in word. Many testimonials were given showing much interest in the salvation of the lost. Some of the new converts bore witness to a spirit of praise in their own hearts.

At the business men's meeting held at Trinity Methodist church from 11:45 to 12:30 p. m., there was a marked increase in attendance and all were delighted with the service. It is expected that the best services of the program.

The meeting at 3 p. m., was full of interest. The meetings will continue from day to day—Men's meeting at 11:45 a. m., at Trinity Methodist church.

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## VIRGINIA LEAVES TODAY.

Will Be Towed by Two Chesapeake & Ohio Tugs.

In tow of two Chesapeake & Ohio tugs, the United States battleship Virginia will leave the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company for the Norfolk navy yard this morning at 8 o'clock. The vessel will arrive at the navy yard about noon. General Manager W. A. Post will make the trip over on the Virginia and he will turn her over to Admiral Harrington, commander of the yard, who will receive the ship on behalf of the navy department.

The Virginia was to have been towed to the navy yard across Hampton Roads on Monday, but owing to the high winds which swept over this section that day and yesterday the vessel had to remain at the local yard.

## ALLEGED HORSE THIEF IN TOILS AT PHILADELPHIA

Sergeant O'Hara Leaves Today to Bring Plummer Arrington Back For Trial.

After eluding capture for more than three weeks, Plummer Arrington, the negro who is wanted by the local authorities for stealing a horse from Mr. J. D. Coleman, of this city, was arrested in Philadelphia yesterday and he is now being held there until the necessary papers to permit of his being brought back to this city for trial can be secured.

Chief of Police John W. Reynolds received a telegram yesterday afternoon from the chief of the Philadelphia police informing him of the arrest of Arrington and he immediately had Commonwealth's Attorney Clarence W. Robinson make out an application to Governor Claude A. Swanson for requisition for Arrington. Detective Sergeant B. J. O'Hara will leave this morning for Richmond where he will present the application.

After receiving the papers Sergeant O'Hara will go to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, where he will present the requisition papers to Governor Pennypacker, of that State.

Arrington, it is charged, stole a horse from Mr. Coleman in this city on Sunday morning, April 1. The negro rode the animal to Williamsburg and there he traded it to a negro, Theodore Harris, for a mule and \$50. From Williamsburg the negro rode the mule toward Richmond. The local police traced the man to Toano and there he disappeared. It is not known what he did with the mule.

Upon investigation the local police found that Arrington formerly lived in Philadelphia and two days after the theft of the horse Chief Reynolds wrote to Philadelphia, asking the police of that city to look out for the negro. A short time ago Chief Reynolds received a letter from the chief of the Philadelphia force informing him that Arrington was not in that city.

A few days later Police Officer Woodward discovered some information which pointed to the effect that Arrington was in the Quaker City and Chief Reynolds immediately sent the information to Philadelphia. The arrest of Arrington followed a few days afterward.

## Social Personal

This evening at 9 o'clock at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Miss Mary Clarence Garnett will become the bride of Mr. Richard M. Nelson, Rev. A. O. Sykes, D. D., rector of the church, will perform the ceremony according to the impressive and beautiful rites of the Episcopal church.

Mr. Alfred L. Garnett, of New York city, arrived in the city yesterday to attend the wedding of his sister.

Mrs. Maurice Folk will entertain the Wednesday social club this afternoon at her home on Twenty-sixth street.

Mr. Harry Bernstein, formerly manager of the Academy of Music, was in the city yesterday.

Ladies' Auxiliary. There will be a called meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. at the association building this morning at 10 o'clock. Important business will be discussed and a large attendance is expected.

## THEATRICAL.

Little Chip, Mary Marble, Robert Harry, Marie Franchonetti, David Andrada, Florrie Madison, Wm. H. Hatter and Elvia Crox Seabrooke will play the principal parts in "Gloriana" at the Academy of Music, Saturday matinee and night, April 28.

The prettiest chorus that ever surrounded the Wells-Dunne-Harlan Company is said to have been secured for this tour and includes many well remembered faces. "Gloriana" is said to be one of the most amusing comedies ever written. It will be beautifully staged and costumed. Miss Seabrooke is the latest addition to the Wells-Dunne-Harlan forces.

The Wells-Dunne-Harlan Company has secured the rights to the English musical comedy "Gloriana" and will inaugurate its spring tour at the Academy.

Clever Lecturer. Edwin Emerson, the famous Russo-Japanese war correspondent, lectured at the Academy last night on "Both Sides of the War." Illustrating his interesting and cleverly told stories with stereopticon reproductions of photographs taken during the war.

## TEMPEST IN TEA POT

Charges Against Engineer Stennett Trivial in Nature.

## MAYOR MUST SETTLE TROUBLE

Committee Hears Many Witnesses and Discusses Case in Executive Session—"Whole Thing" May Be Reorganized Before Trouble Ends.

Evidence was heard by the fire department and water committee of the council last night in the case of Engineer T. F. Stennett, of the East End engine house, charged by Driver N. R. Gray with appropriating to his own use several articles taken from houses in which fire occurred and with shooting out a light in the engine house last New Year's eve.

After examining a number of witnesses, the committee went into executive session and discussed the case for more than an hour. After the meeting Chairman Read stated that no information would be given out other than that the committee would put the matter before the mayor.

The charges against Stennett amount practically to nothing. A rusty saw, an old axe and a brass cistern without a mouth-piece seem to have been the only articles appropriated by Engineer Stennett. The cistern was given to his own when he asked for it and the evidence made it apparent that the engineer had no idea of committing a theft when he took the articles.

As to the shooting, it was proved that half a dozen of the firemen were discharging pistols in the air as the New Year passed in. Engineer Stennett fired at the electric globe, broke it and replaced it.

The committee also withheld its decision in the case of Driver Gray, charged by Stennett with improper conduct in the engine house. This case also goes to the mayor.

After the meeting several members of the committee were heard to remark that trouble would not cease in the fire department until the whole thing was reorganized.

Attorney E. S. Robinson appeared as counsel for Stennett.

## LARCENY CHARGE DISMISSED.

Russell McCormick Not Guilty of Stealing Ring.

In the police court yesterday morning the charge of larceny against Russell McCormick, a young white man, was dismissed by Justice Brown. McCormick was arrested Monday night by Officer Padgett on a warrant sworn out by Miss Mary E. Carmine, charging him with having taken one of her rings. The evidence showed that the young people had exchanged rings and that the young man was not guilty of a theft.

A schooner of 1,007 tons has been chartered to carry a cargo of coal from this port to Key West, Fla. The coal is for the government coaling station at that port. The terms of the charter are private.

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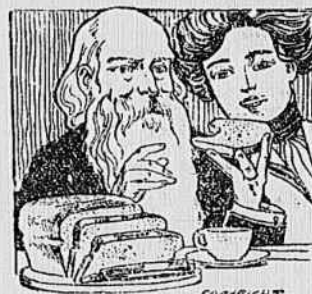
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